## **Woodfields Elementary School**

1032 Emerald Road Greenwood, SC 29646



# South Carolina State Report Card

State and federal laws require public schools to release report cards to the public each year. This year, the report card has been updated to reflect changes in reporting directed by the SC Education Oversight Committee. Schools will not be rated for state accountability purposes until Fall 2017 when the state will transition to a single accountability system. The following reports student performance in school year 2014-15.

Grades:K-5 ElementaryPrincipal:Virginia T. MettsEnrollment:646 studentsSuperintendent:Darrell JohnsonSchool Phone:864-941-5540Board Chair:Shell Dula

School Website: <a href="http://www.gwd50.org/Domain/1473">http://www.gwd50.org/Domain/1473</a>



## Profile of the SC Graduate

#### **World Class Knowledge**

- Rigorous standards in language arts and math for career and college readiness
- Multiple languages, science, technology, engineering, mathematics (STEM), arts and social sciences\*

#### **World Class Skills**

- Creativity and innovation
- Critical thinking and problem solving
- Collaboration and teamwork
- Communication, information, media and technology
- · Knowing how to learn

#### **Life and Career Characteristics**

- Integrity
- Self-direction
- Global perspective
- Perseverance
- · Work ethic
- Interpersonal skills

#### WORLD CLASS SKILLS & LIFE AND CAREER CHARACTERISTICS

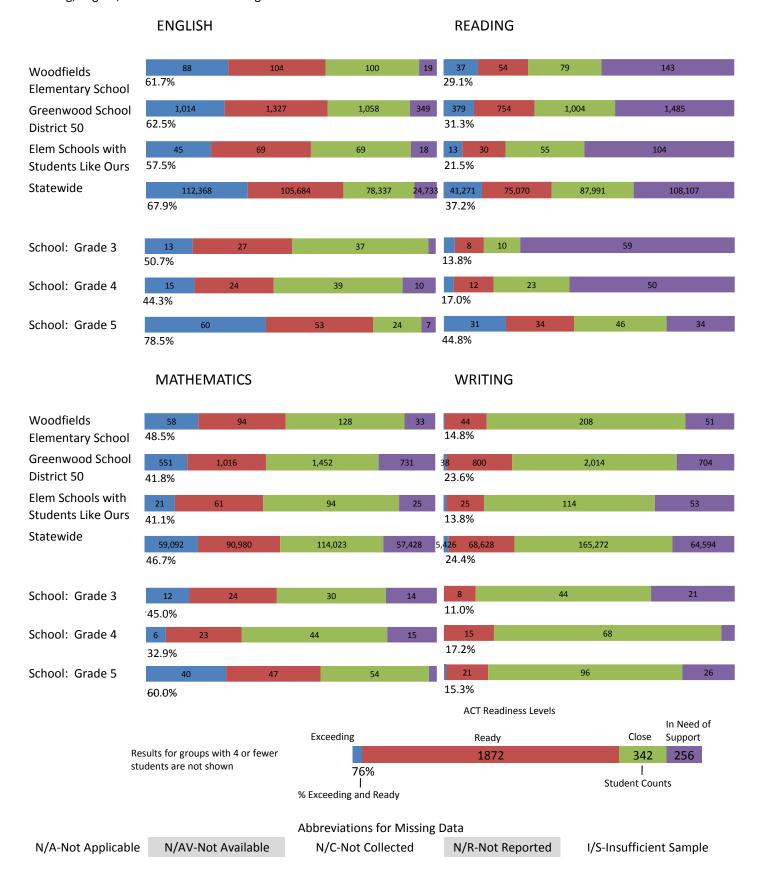
Our school is helping all students develop the world class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the Graduate by ...

Woodfields Elementary School is helping all students develop the world class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the Graduate through rigorous standards in all subjects, through technology, and through collaboration and teamwork. We taught world class knowledge through the implementation of the South Carolina Grade Level Standards in math and reading. We had many curriculum offerings, including ACTS, the arts magnet program, Reading Recovery, GATAS, a Computer Lab, Art, Music, PE, and Special Education Services. We continued to work on ways to "close the achievement gap" by looking at the needs of our students and giving those students learning activities designed to help them achieve their best. We focused on the world class skills of creativity and innovation, critical thinking and problem solving, and communication through the implementation of IPADS in the classroom. Life and career characteristics were taught through guidance services. We used PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions) to teach students behavioral expectations. Our students raised money for community service organizations. Our drill team and step team performed at Relay for Life and other community events. Our PTO supported many family activities and we had many volunteers who regularly helped us. We continue to "SOAR" at Woodfields Elementary School. Mrs. Virginia Metts, Principal Myrna Arnold, Chairperson – Woodfields School Improvement Council

<sup>\* 21</sup>st Century core courses in Social Sciences include History, Geography, Economics, Government and Civics.

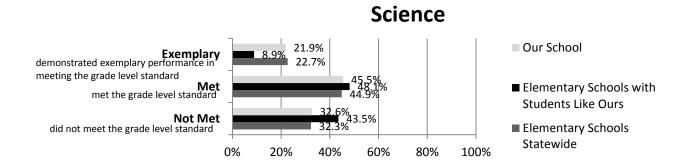
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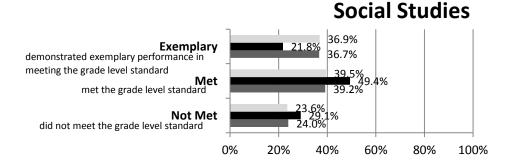
The ACT Aspire assessment was given to students in grades 3-8 in Spring 2015. Students were assessed in the subject areas of Reading, English, Mathematics and Writing



## **KNOWLEDGE**

The SC Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (SCPASS) was given to students in grades 4 - 8 in Spring 2015. Students were assessed in the subject areas of Science and Social Studies.





Science SCPASS				
Our School: Percent Met and Above for each grade level				
4th grade	5th grade			
54.5	75.2			
Social Studies SCPASS				
Our School: Percent Met and Above for each grade level				
4th grade	5th grade			
79.5	74.5			

Note: Results include SC-Alt assessment results.

"Exemplary": student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.

Met "Met": student met the grade level standard.

Not Met "Not Met": student did not meet the grade level standard.

Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours are elementary schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

N/A-Not Applicable N/AV-Not Available N/C-Not Collected N/R-Not Reported I/S-Insufficient Sample

# **OPPORTUNITIES**

For students to meet the profile of the SC Graduate

For students to meet the prome of the 3c Graduate	Our School	Change from	Elementary Schools
	Our School	Last Year	with students like ours
Students (n = 646)			
Percent of students participating in Medicaid, SNAP, or TANF;			
homeless, foster, or migrant students (poverty index)	87.3	Down from 92.3%	N/A
Attendance Rate	95.4	Down from 96.7%	95.4
With disabilities	9.1	Up from 9.0%	13.1
Out of school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or	9.1	Ор пош э.0%	13.1
criminal offenses	0.3	Up from 0.0%	0.0
Percentage of students served by gifted and talented programs	14.1	Down from 14.2%	4.3
Percentage of students retained	0.9	Up from 0.6%	1.4
Teachers (n = 38)		'	
Percentage of teachers with advanced degrees	52.6	Down from 57.9%	60.0
Percentage of teachers on continuing contract	81.6	Down from 97.4%	77.3
Teachers returning from previous year	84.9	Down from 85.1%	85.4
Teacher attendance rate	95.3	Down from 95.5%	94.9
Average teacher salary*	\$46,571	Down 3.8%	\$46,609
Professional development days / teacher	10.7 days	Up from 9.9 days	10.9 days
Percentage of teacher vacancies for more than 9 weeks	0.0	N/A	1.1
School			
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.2 to 1	Down from 23.4 to 1	19.3 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.5	Down from 91.8%	89.1
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No change	Good
Opportunities in foreign languages	Poor	N/A	Poor
AdvancEd (SACS) accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.7	Down from 100.0%	100.0
Character development program	Good	No change	Excellent
Avg. age of books / electronic media in the school library	17.0	N/A	15.2
Number of resources available per student in the school library	15.3	N/A	27.7
media center	15.5	NA	27.7
Bandwidth capacity per student	<25 Mbps	N/C	N/A
Percent of classrooms with wireless access	76-100%	N/C	N/A
District-issued learning devices per student	0.8	N/C	0.8
District-issued technology devices per teacher	4.3	N/C	2.0
Percentage of classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0	No change	0.0
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,779	Up 5.5%	\$8,341
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	64.7	Down from 65.2%	65.4
Percent of expenditures for teachers' salaries**	65.9	No change	66.8

<sup>\*</sup> Includes current year teachers contracted for 190 days or more.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data are reported.

## **OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **Evaluations by Teachers, Students, and Parents**

Evaluations by Teachers, Students, and Parents				
	Teachers	Students*	Parents*	
Number of surveys returned	25	139	74	
Percent satisfied with learning environment	72.0	89.2	94.6	
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	84.0	85.1	91.9	
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	52.0	91.1	81.1	

<sup>\*</sup> Only students at the highest elementary school grade and their parents were included.

## **State Ratings History of School**

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2014	Average	Average
2013	Average	Average
2012	Average	Good

Based on state law, schools will not be rated for state accountability purposes until Fall 2017.

# **Additional Resources**

SC State Content Standards

Family-Friendly Guides to the SC Content Standards

2014-15 Accountability Manual

Report Card Data Files

ESEA Data Files

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